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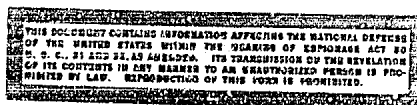
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NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN HUNGARIAN CHEMICAL INDUSTRYCHEMICAL WORKS OPENED -- Budapest, Szabad Nep, 10 Jun 52

The Tisza Region Chemical Works were officially opened at inaugural ceremonies held Sunday morning. Erno Gero, President of the People's Economic Council, and Sander Czottner, Minister of Mining and Power, attended the opening.

The chemical works were built in record time; over 100 construction workers won the Stakhanovite title while employed on the project.

Czottner said in his inaugural address, "Our old chemical works, besides being crowded, dark, and backward in the use of new technological processes, lacked accurate gauges and high-capacity machinery. This new plant is light, airy, and equipped with the most modern technological devices. By reading the instrument panel in the central control room, one can follow the course of operations in progress throughout the plant."

NEW ANESTHETIC -- Budapest, Magyar Nemzet, 3 Jul 52

The Chinoim Laboratories have begun manufacture of a new anesthetic which will be known as "Intramarconna." Its advantages include the fact that it has no effect on the respiratory tract, and that it induces narcosis in 3 minutes as compared to the 20 minutes needed for other anesthetics to take effect.

RECOVER METALLIC SELENIUM -- Budapest, Esti Budapest, 19 Jun 52

Acting on the proposal of Istvan Balint, chemical engineer, the Budapest Sulfuric Acid Works is processing the sludge residue in the manufacture of sulfuric acid for metallic selenium.

To date, the works have recovered several quintals of metallic selenium.

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